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FALL 1946 CATALOG  
Max Schling Seedsman, Inc., 618 Madison Ave., New York City



Niphetos  
Carrara  
Peach

As Fine An  
Assortment As  
One Could Wish

Insurpassable  
Dillenburg

OFFER No. 1

*These Five Fine Tulips*

|                  |         |
|------------------|---------|
| 6 bulbs of each  | \$ 4.50 |
| 12 bulbs of each | 8.50    |
| 25 bulbs of each | 16.00   |



# Four New and Exquisite Varieties

All May Flowering  
Making a Charming Color Combination for  
a New Bright Color Spot In Your Garden



Golden  
Harvest



Inga Hume



President  
Hoover



Princess Mary

Collection  
OFFER  
No. 2

6 of each \$ 3<sup>75</sup>  
12 of each 7<sup>00</sup>  
25 of each 13<sup>50</sup>



# *Daffodil*

## **Hermani**

**Multiple-Flowered  
Giants**

Now, for the first time, Max Schling offers a new strain of Narcissi combining boldness and gracefulness with stems averaging three flowers to a cluster, each bloom averaging 2 to 3 inches in diameter.

A planting of these bulbs creates a triple effect, each stem being the equivalent of three stems, and there are many bulbs that will have two stems each. New garden effects can be obtained by the liberal use of this new strain, and startling cut flower arrangements are possible with the splendid cluster effect.

## *How Many More of*

# **Our Famous Rarity Collection of Narcissi and Daffodils Can You Use?**

**Order Early to Avoid Disappointment  
See Inside Back Cover**

Our Rarity Collection of Daffodils and Narcissi has become so popular that original purchasers of this collection have become "spoiled" for other varieties.

Because of the tremendous demand for this collection, and the countless testimonials we have received from those who have already been enchanted by these outstanding varieties, we are again featuring this offer, although we do suggest that careful consideration be given the outstanding varieties offered in our Exhibition and Connoisseur Collection.

To those who have not already grown our Rarity Collection we can only say that there is no finer Daffodil value offered in the entire horticultural world.



# *Daffodil*

## **Babylon Majestic**

## **MAX SCHLING'S SPECIALTIES**

The breath-taking beauty and enormous but gracious size of this gorgeous Daffodil appearing on the cover is too difficult to describe. For actual size measure the flowers in the color illustration with a rule.

We are happy to report that the performance of this variety in our trial gardens was so outstanding that a popular favorite such as **King Alfred** seemed to be outclassed by its performance.

Fortunately, however, **King Alfred** is at least a week earlier to bloom, and, therefore, we will not claim that **Babylon Majestic** will supplant that ever-popular variety, but in reality **Babylon Majestic** will extend the enjoyment period for those who love huge butter-yellow Daffodils.

We still recommend **King Alfred** as the best **forcing variety** because of its earliness.

## **AMARYLLIS**

Schling's famous Sequoia strain. A lasting bulbous plant that should be in every home as it is deserving of the greatest popularity.

See our listing of a famous private estate collection.

## **Destroy Jap Beetles With**

## **J A P - A T A C**

A positive all-time control. This is the Milky Spore Disease proved to be the specific control for Japanese Beetles. Can be applied any time, never loses strength. Once your ground is inoculated with this powder, it remains inoculated forever. Non-poisonous, perfectly safe to use. 1 lb. will treat 4,000 square feet. Manufactured by J. J. Parker under U. S. D. A. license and patent number 2,258,319. \$5.15 per pound, postpaid.



# A Message from Schling's



The warm and gratifying response we have received upon the issuance of our Advance Bulb List is indicative of many things, an appreciation of the beauty of spring bulbs which were planted last year in many instances for the first time since 1939, and the desire of many to observe a symbol of peace right in their own gardens.

The romance of the preservation of the Holland bulb fields under the duress of a painful foreign occupation will undoubtedly provide exciting material for authors and historians for generations to come.

The season of 1946 will see Holland bulb production right back to normal. Prices are lower, quality and selection materially improved.

Our guarantee label which appears throughout this catalog means exactly what it says. During the past five years it has required great effort and ingenuity on our part to have been able to offer as comprehensive a bulb listing as we had in that period. It was not always possible for us to supply bulbs of as fine appearance and size as we would have liked to supply, although the blooming performance of our wartime stocks was excellent.

We know now that we can supply top quality in top size bulbs, and that is why we are eager to make this guarantee. There is no question about our bulbs this year. They will be better than ever.

Postage paid on all orders for bulbs only, in second postal zone from New York City. All other orders in excess of five pounds will be shipped express collect, unless remittance for postage accompanies order.



A Planting of Narcissi, Naturalizing Mixture (Oregon Trail). See page 9

Our Leading Item, and Outstanding Value for Over Thirty Years

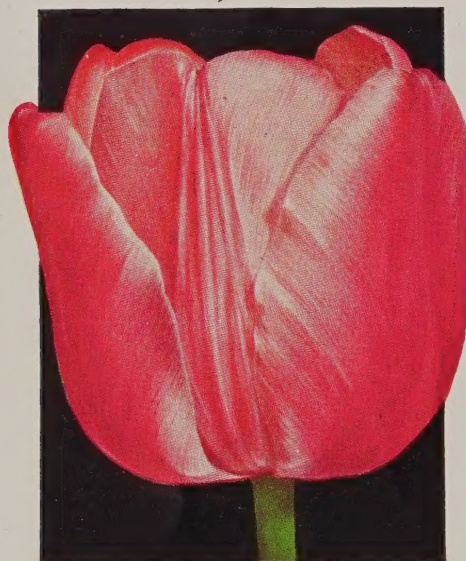
Reserve the most treasured corner of your garden for some of Max Schling's bulbs



# NEW STYLES IN *Giant Darwin Tulips*



Chas. Needham



Pride of Zwanenburg



Niphetos



Margeaux



Faust

ALL BULBS GUARANTEED TOP SIZE 12 CENTIMETERS.

Blooming Period May 5th to May 20th.

f. Denotes Best Forcing Varieties.

|                           |  | Doz.   | 100     |
|---------------------------|--|--------|---------|
| Aristocrat.               | 30 in. Huge flower. Soft purplish violet-rose color. Lovely        | \$2.50 | \$19.00 |
| Avanti.                   | 28 in. Bright carmine-rose edged light rose                        | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| f. Bartigon.              | 28 in. Large, fiery scarlet  | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Black Eagle (Blue Eagle). | 30 in. Large purplish black  | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Black Girl.               | 28 in. Large flowering maroon-back                                 | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| f. Campfire.              | 28 in. Large blood-red   | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Chas. Needham.            | 28 in. Huge brilliant scarlet. New. Illustrated                    | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| City of Haarlem.          | 30 in. Large deep red, old favorite                                | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Clara Butt.               | 24 in. Lovely salmon-rose, long standing favorite                  | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Cordell Hull.             | Brilliant red flushed white  | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| f. Demeter.               | 32 in. Tall, large flowering reddish purple. New                   | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| Eclipse.                  | 30 in. Huge crimson-maroon. One of the best                        | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| Farncombe Sanders.        | 30 in. Large bright orange-scarlet                                 | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Faust.                    | 28 in. Large, glossy violet. Illustrated                           | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Glacier.                  | 28 in. Huge ivory-white. Illustrated                               | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| f. Golden Age.            | 26 in. Deep buttercup-yellow flushed salmon. Illustrated           | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| f. Golden Harvest.        | 28 in. Large light golden yellow                                   | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Insurpassable.            | 28 in. Large, brilliant lilac-lavender                             | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| King George V.            | 30 in. Bright cherry-red; old favorite                             | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| La Tulipe Noire.          | 28 in. Large; the Black Tulip                                      | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Margeaux.                 | 28 in. Huge flowering Bordeaux wine-red. Illustrated               | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Mr. Van Zyl.              | 26 in. Large light rose-pink with lovely light margin. Illustrated | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Mt. Erebus.               | 30 in. Huge lovely pure snow-white                                 | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Niphetos.                 | 28 in. Pale sulphur-yellow. One of the finest Tulips. Illustrated  | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Philip Snowden.           | 28 in. Lovely carmine-rose. Illustrated                            | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Pride of Haarlem.         | 30 in. American-Beauty-rose color; old favorite                    | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Pride of Zwanenburg.      | 30 in. Huge bright rose with lighter edge. Illustrated             | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| f. Princess Elizabeth.    | 28 in. Stately rose-pink; an old favorite                          | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| Princess Mary.            | 28 in. Beautiful light pink  | 1.95   | 15.00   |

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## Revelation Collection of New and Outstanding DARWIN TULIPS

Chas. Needham. Brilliant scarlet.  
Eclipse. Rich dark red.  
Demeter. Royal purple.  
Golden Harvest. Light golden yellow.  
Insurpassable. Lovely lavender.

White City. (Mt. Erebus).  
Princess Mary. Large pale pink.  
Philip Snowden. Large rich rose.  
Black Girl. New black.  
Cordell Hull. Brilliant red with white stripes.

10 Each of  
10 varieties

Grown, Selected and Packed in Holland for You

A \$14.45 Value for

\$12.50

SCHLING'S *Flower and Bulb Leadership*



# --dependable time-proven varieties

## DARWIN TULIPS—Continued

|  | Doz.   | 100     |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>Sunkist.</b> 26 in. Deep golden yellow, large blooms. Far superior to Inglescombe Yellow. Illustrated ..... | \$1.75 | \$13.50 |
| <b>f. William Pitt.</b> 26 in. Fine early flowering rosy red .....   | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Yellow Giant.</b> 32 in. Standard medium yellow .....   | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>White City.</b> Same variety as Mt. Erebus  |        |         |
| <b>Zwanenburg.</b> 28 in. Large flowering pure white .....   | 1.75   | 13.50   |

## TWO NEW COLORS IN DARWIN TULIPS

**Ossi Oswald.** 28 in. Successor to Picotee. Lovely cream-white and rose. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.50 per 100.

**Peach.** 26 in. Brilliant peach color; light edge; large blooms. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.50 per 100. (Illustrated on front cover.)

## VICTORY MIXTURE DARWIN TULIPS

A guaranteed mixture of 15 varieties grown, selected, blended and especially packed in Holland for you. First size bulbs. 50 for \$4.75; \$8.50 per 100; \$82.50 per 1000.

## EXTRA SPECIAL MIXTURE OF OVERSIZE BULBS

Selected bulbs as large as small Pears. For long time results plant 10 to 12 inches deep. 50 for \$8.25; 100 for \$15.75.

## NEW NOVELTY VARIETIES FOR 1946

Each year we will offer some outstanding new introductions of Tulips in all classes. These varieties are test grown in our own gardens and are selected for superiority over existing varieties. Some of the new ones are too expensive to offer. They will come along later.

**Blue Ribbon.** 30 in. Tall, huge flowering light violet; a gorgeous garden and show variety. 3 for \$1.00; \$3.50 per doz.

**Nardi.** 30 in. Very strong, powerful stem; huge, perfectly formed flower of great substance. Color a deep pink shaded lilac. 3 for \$1.35; \$4.75 per doz.

**Prunus.** 28 in. A lovely soft pink, large flowers. Good for forcing. 6 for \$1.50; \$2.50 per doz.

**Reliance.** 30 in. As tall and huge as Blue Ribbon. Color a rich violet-blue. A real show variety. 3 for \$1.25; \$4.00 per doz.

## INTRODUCTORY Collection

Chas. Needham  
Insurpassable  
White City (Mt. Erebus).  
Philip Snowden  
Cordell Hull

10 each of the  
5 varieties—  
\$7.25 value—for

**\$6<sup>50</sup>**

## OLD FAVORITE Collection

Five of the best old favorite varieties. First size 11-centimeter bulbs. The best Tulip value ever offered. For a limited time only. A real value for large plantings.

**Blue Aimable.** Bluish lavender.  
**Clara Butt.** Lovely salmon-pink.  
**Inglescombe Yellow.** Light golden yellow.  
**Princess Elizabeth.** Rich rose-pink.  
**William Pitt.** Bright scarlet.

6 each of the 5 varieties (30 bulbs in all) for \$ 3.25  
12 each of the 5 varieties (60 bulbs in all) for 6.00  
25 each of the 5 varieties (125 bulbs in all) for 11.50  
50 each of the 5 varieties (250 bulbs in all) for 21.00



Glacier



Mr. Van Zyl

## SCHLING'S Flower and Bulb Leadership



Golden Age



Philip Snowden



Sunkist





Tantalus

# BREEDER TULIPS

(Blooming period May 5th to 20th)

The lovely copper tones of this strain make it more popular than ever.

|   | Doz.   | 100     |
|---|--------|---------|
| <b>Baroda.</b> 30 in. New. Glossy mahogany-wine color. Illustrated .....  | \$2.00 | \$15.50 |
| <b>Cherbourg.</b> 32 in. New. Rich orange, tinged brown. Illustrated .....  | 2.25   | 17.00   |
| <b>Dillenburg.</b> 26 in. Large orange edged apricot. Illustrated front cover ....                                  | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| <b>Indian Chief.</b> 34 in. Coppery red flushed purple. One of the most impressive of all Tulips. Illustrated ..... | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| <b>Jessy.</b> 32 in. Very large blooms. Violet-bronze edged yellow. Tall and striking .....                         | 2.25   | 17.00   |
| <b>Louis XIV.</b> 32 in. Violet, orange-bronze margin. Illustrated .....  | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| <b>Tantalus.</b> 32 in. Pale yellow flushed lilac. Illustrated .....  | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| <b>Velvet King.</b> 30 in. Velvety purple-violet. Illustrated .....   | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| <b>Breeder Tulips Mixed</b> .....   | 1.85   | 14.50   |



Louis XIV

## NOVELTY BREEDER TULIPS FOR 1946

|   | Doz.   | 100     |
|---|--------|---------|
| <b>Sonate.</b> 30 in. Not a new variety, but one little known. A gorgeous glowing orange-red improvement of Prince of Orange .....          | \$2.25 | \$17.00 |
| <b>George Grappe.</b> 30 in. Beautiful lavender-mauve with blue base. One of the brightest "blue varieties." Tall stems, large blooms ..... | 2.25   | 17.00   |

## EARLY SINGLE TULIPS

(Blooming period April 10th to May 1st)

An old favorite race of Tulips in great demand for planting where large-flowered dwarf types are desired. The flowers are usually the size of Darwins, rich self colors and bi-colors, and because of their earliness in the cool of spring remain in bloom for a long period.

|   | Doz.   | 100     |
|---|--------|---------|
| <b>f. Couleur Cardinal.</b> 15 in. Huge deep glowing scarlet, unmatched color ..... | \$1.95 | \$15.00 |
| <b>f. Diana.</b> 13 in. Large early white, lovely form ..                           | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>f. Gen. De Wet.</b> 15 in. Rich brilliant orange, long blooming period .....     | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>f. Keizerskroon.</b> 16 in. Red edged golden yellow, old favorite .....          | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>f. Pink Beauty.</b> 14 in. Deep rose and white ....                              | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>f. Rising Sun.</b> 15 in. Clear golden yellow .....                              | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>Single Early Tulips Mixed</b> .....  | 1.75   | 13.50   |



Cherbourg



Indian Chief

## SCHLING'S *Flower and Bulb Leadership*



Velvet King



Dillenburg



Baroda





Themis



Marjorie Bowen

# COTTAGE TULIPS

(Blooming period May 5th to 20th)

Lovely May Flowering Tulips of distinct grace and charm. Particularly exquisite for planting old-fashioned and informal gardens.

"f." denotes recommended varieties for early forcing.

|   | Doz.   | 100     |
|---|--------|---------|
| <b>Advance.</b> 32 in. Huge early flowering scarlet-cerise .....              | \$1.75 | \$13.50 |
| <b>f. Albino.</b> 22 in. Large pure white .....                               | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Argo.</b> 26 in. Large, deep orange-yellow flecked red .....               | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Belle Jaune.</b> 26 in. Large, cup-shaped deep Indian-yellow .....         | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>f. Carrara.</b> 22 in. Pure white, early bloomer .....                     | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Henry Correvon.</b> 28 in. Lovely bright scarlet .....                     | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Inga Hume.</b> 28 in. Red with striking yellow edge .....                  | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>Inglescombe Pink.</b> 24 in. Salmon-rose-pink .....                        | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Inglescombe Yellow.</b> 24 in. Old favorite canary-yellow .....            | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Marjorie Bowen.</b> 28 in. Large. Beautiful salmon flushed buff .....      | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>Mayflower.</b> 30 in. Huge orange-scarlet ..                               | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>Mrs. John T. Scheepers.</b> 28 in. Huge pale yellow; one of the best ..... | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Mrs. Moon.</b> 26 in. Lily-flowered yellow.                                | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Pres. Hoover.</b> 26 in. Deep orange-red shadings, very graceful .....     | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Rosabella.</b> 26 in. Pale rose-pink, lighter edge .....                   | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Themis.</b> 22 in. Lovely shapely white ..                                 | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Old English Cottage Tulips Mixed.</b> A lovely blend .....                 | 1.50   | 11.50   |

## NOVELTY COTTAGE TULIPS

|  |      |       |
|--|------|-------|
| <b>Marshall Haig.</b> 28 in. Large brilliant scarlet. Improved Grenadier ..... | 2.25 | 17.00 |
| <b>Geo. W. Leak.</b> 26 in. Bright vermillion with creamy yellow base .....    | 2.25 | 17.00 |

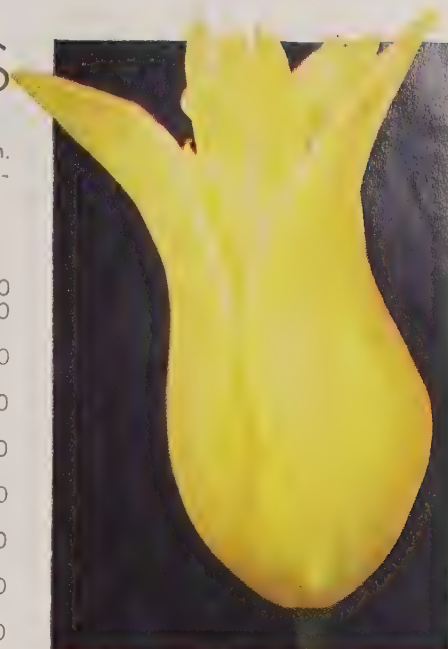
## EARLY DOUBLE TULIPS

(Blooming period April 10th to May 1st)

|   | Doz.   | 100     |
|---|--------|---------|
| <b>f. Electra.</b> 12 in. Deep cherry-red .....                     | \$1.95 | \$15.00 |
| <b>f. Mr. Van Der Hoef.</b> Pure golden yellow .....                | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>f. Murillo.</b> 12 in. Pale pink and white .....                 | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>f. Paul Grampel.</b> 12 in. Geranium-red. New. Illustrated ..... | 2.25   | 17.00   |
| <b>f. Peach Blossom.</b> 12 in. Deep rose-pink .....                | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>f. Snowball.</b> 12 in. Pure white .....                         | 1.95   | 15.00   |
| <b>Early Double Tulips Mixed</b> .....                              | 1.75   | 13.50   |

## NOVELTY EARLY DOUBLE TULIP

**Wilhelm Kordes.** Rich yellow of enormous size flushed with bronzy orange. A novelty of great merit. 3 for \$1.40; \$5.00 per doz.



Mrs. Moon



Henry Correvon

SCHLING'S *Flower and Bulb Leadership*



Argo



Rosabella



Belle Jaune



# The Best of the

## NEW AND EXOTIC PARROT TULIPS

(Blooming period May 5th to 20th)

Parrot Tulips are exquisite as cut flowers. The new varieties as listed here open up a new race of Tulips that are as interesting as they are beautiful. Long, straight stems and petals of great substance are the outstanding feature of these new Tulips.

|   | Doz.   | 100     |
|---|--------|---------|
| <b>Blue Parrot.</b> Dark violet-blue; exquisite cut flower . . . .                | \$4.00 | \$30.00 |
| <b>Fantasy.</b> One of the most popular of all Tulips . . . . .                   | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Gadelan.</b> Lilac-blue, green ribs; a lavender Fantasy. Illustrated . . . . . | 4.00   | 30.00   |
| <b>Red Champion.</b> Brilliant red Fantasy type . . . . .                         | 4.00   | 30.00   |
| <b>Sunshine.</b> Golden yellow Fantasy type. Illustrated . . . . .                | 4.50   | 34.00   |
| <b>Therese.</b> Fiery scarlet Fantasy type. Illustrated . . . . .                 | 4.00   | 30.00   |
| <b>Parrot Tulips Mixed</b> . . . . .  | 1.75   | 13.50   |

## LILY-FLOWERED TULIPS

Flowers of gorgeous shape, narrow flaring petals coming to a point. The flower is beautiful open or closed. Excellent for cut flower arrangements. Blooming period May 5th to 25th. Heights range approximately 24 inches. Colors range from deep crimson to palest yellow. Fine mixture. \$1.85 per doz.; \$14.50 per 100.

## MENDEL TULIPS

(Intermediate blooming period April 25th to May 10th)

An early flowering strain featuring rich, bold colors. Ideal for locations where short large flowered Tulips are needed. Splendid for forcing.

|   | Doz.   | 100     |
|---|--------|---------|
| <b>f. Krelage's Triumph.</b> 16 in. Large, rich crimson . . . . .   | \$1.75 | \$13.50 |
| <b>f. Norman.</b> 16 in. Bright carmine-pink . . . . .              | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>f. Weber.</b> 20 in. Huge white with broad pink border . . . . . | 1.75   | 13.50   |



Gadelan



Red Emperor



Aviator



# Miscellaneous Tulips

## EXQUISITE BOTANICAL TULIPS

(Blooming period April 5th to 20th)

No Tulips are more welcome and beautiful than the exquisite Botanical Tulips. The first to bloom in the spring, their charm in the rock garden, under shrubs and along paths is unequalled by any flower. They can also be spectacular.

|  |        |         |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>Clusiana</b> (The Lady Tulip). The famous and lovely pink and white striped miniature peppermint stick candy variety .....  | \$1.75 | \$13.50 |
| <b>Eichleri</b> . 12 in. Long-petaled rosy scarlet .....   | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Gaiety</b> (The True Water Lily Tulip). Most ideal variety for rock garden planting. Stems very short, when open they resemble a Water Lily. White, yellow center ..... | 1.85   | 14.50   |
| <b>Kaufmanniana</b> . 8 in. White and pink striped .....   | 2.50   | 19.00   |
| <b>Kaufmanniana, Primrose</b> . 8 in. Soft primrose-yellow, striped pink ..  | 2.75   | 21.00   |
| <b>Red Emperor</b> . 12 in. King of them all. Enormous flowers 8 to 9 inches across; brilliant fiery red .....   | 4.00   | 30.00   |
| <b>Fusilier</b> . 10 in. Brilliant vermillion. 2 to 4 lovely flowers on one stem.  | 4.00   | 30.00   |

### NOVELTY BOTANICAL TULIPS FOR 1946

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|--|-------|-------|
| <b>Cesar Franck</b> . The earliest to bloom. Red and yellow like a miniature Keizerskroon. Height 8 inches. Very rare. . . . Each \$1.00. . .                      | 11.00 |       |
| <b>Principes</b> . Bold, large flowering scarlet, blooming after Red Emperor has gone. A most important addition to the red Botanical class. Height 8 inches ..... | 4.00  | 30.00 |

## PEONY-FLOWERED TULIPS

(Late Double Type)  
(Blooming period May 1st to 20th)

A new and welcome addition to the Tulip family. Beautiful large, double blooms on 18-inch stems. An outstanding cut flower. A vase of cut Late Double Tulips can hardly be distinguished from a vase of cut Peonies. Strong, stiff stems.

|  |        |         |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>Coxa</b> . Carmine-red tipped white ..... | \$1.85 | \$14.50 |
| <b>Eros</b> . Lovely old-rose .....          | 1.85   | 14.50   |
| <b>Mt. Tacoma</b> . Pure white .....         | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| <b>Uncle Tom</b> . Rich mahogany-red .....   | 2.25   | 17.00   |
| <b>Double Late Tulips Mixed</b> .....        | 1.65   | 12.50   |

## TALL SUCCESSION TULIPS

(Triumph)  
(Blooming period May 1st to 20th)

The race of Tulips that is attaining the greatest popularity in Holland itself. Valuable because it fills the blooming gap between Early Tulips, Daffodils and Late Tulips. All are excellent forcing varieties.

|   |        |         |
|---|--------|---------|
| <b>f. Aviator</b> . 16 in. Illustrated. Deep carmine-red edged white .....          | \$1.75 | \$13.50 |
| <b>Bandoeng</b> . 18 in. New. Deep red flushed orange and yellow; spectacular ..... | 2.00   | 15.50   |
| <b>Crater</b> . 18 in. Brilliant vermillion-red .....                               | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>f. Korneforos</b> . 20 in. Carmine-red with white base .....                     | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>f. Kansas</b> . 18 in. Lovely graceful and stately pure white .....              | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>f. Ursa Minor</b> . 15 in. Deep butter-yellow, huge bloom .....                  | 1.75   | 13.50   |
| <b>Queen of the North</b> . 26 in. White with vivid pink margin. Lovely.            | 1.85   | 13.50   |

### NOVELTY TRIUMPH TULIP FOR 1946

|   |      |       |
|---|------|-------|
| <b>Olaf</b> . 14 in. Brilliant rich scarlet. Excellent forcer. The finest red Triumph ..... | 4.00 | 30.00 |
|---|------|-------|



Paul Grampel

### TIPS ON TULIP CULTURE

It is better to plant deep than shallow. In heavy clay soils plant from 5 to 8 inches deep, in light, sandy soils 7 to 10 inches. Do not mix manure or other undecomposed organic matter in the soil around or directly under the bulbs. Such material should be mixed into the subsoil to a depth of 20 inches or more. A layer of top soil 2 inches deep should separate the bottom of the bulb from the organic matter.

In latitudes north of New York City apply mulching material only after hard frost has set in. Best planting date October 1st to November 25th. Planting can be continued safely through the entire month of December, weather permitting.



Sunshine



Therese





**Harvest Golden**  
A Real Yellow Daffodil

# The World's Finest Selection of DAFFODILS

Items marked with (\*) are Collectors' and Show varieties priced last year at from \$1.00 to \$3.00 per bulb.

## LARGE TRUMPET VARIETIES

|  | Doz. | 100   |
|--|------|-------|
| * <b>Babylon Majestic.</b> Illustrated on page 10. Without doubt the largest and finest pure yellow Daffodil. A great multiplier. Each \$1.00..\$11.00 |      |       |
| * <b>Beersheba.</b> Illustrated on page 11. Absolutely pure white. Trumpet long and graceful. Consistent show winner .....                             | 6.50 | 50.00 |
| <b>Emperor.</b> Lovely old favorite bicolor. Yellow trumpet, pale sulphur perianth .....   | 1.85 | 14.50 |
| f. <b>Golden Harvest.</b> Exceptionally large pure golden yellow, beautifully formed. Fine frilled trumpet .....                                       | 3.00 | 22.00 |
| <b>Imperator.</b> A large white Daffodil of sparkling purity .....   | 3.00 | 22.00 |
| f. <b>King Alfred.</b> The most popular pure golden yellow Daffodil. Gant Jumbo Bulbs .....  | 2.25 | 17.50 |
| Large Double-Nose Bulbs .....  | 1.85 | 14.50 |
| f. <b>Lord Wellington.</b> Illustrated on back cover. A huge, graceful light golden yellow Daffodil. One of the best .....                             | 4.00 | 30.00 |
| f. <b>Minister Talma.</b> An early deep butter-yellow self color. Beautifully frilled trumpet .....  | 1.85 | 14.50 |
| * <b>Mrs. R. O. Backhouse.</b> (Giant Leeds.) Illustrated. Pure white with lovely pink trumpet; a most popular show variety .....                      | 7.50 | 57.50 |
| f. <b>Mrs. E. H. Krelage.</b> White perianth, lovely pale cream trumpet .....  | 3.00 | 22.00 |
| * <b>Roxane.</b> Rich creamy white of great substance. Wide open trumpet .....   | 6.50 | 50.00 |
| f. <b>Spring Glory.</b> Illustrated. The best contrasting bi-color Daffodil .....  | 2.25 | 17.50 |

## SCHLING'S Flower and Bulb Leadership



**Mrs. R. O. Backhouse**  
Favorite Exhibition Variety



**Crcesus**  
An Ideal  
Cut Flower



# NARCISSI *The Newest of the New; the Best of the Old.*

## INCOMPARABILIS VARIETIES

The most popular cutting type. Strong, stately stems and great substance. Open face flowers, some are as large as big Daffodils and considered by many much more charming.

|   |             |         |
|---|-------------|---------|
| <b>Bernardino.</b> Perianth creamy white; yellow cup edged orange; large flower   | Doz.        | 100     |
| <b>Carlton.</b> Large open blooms; perianth sulphur-yellow; large clear yellow cup. Highly commended as a show bloom                        | \$1.50      | \$11.50 |
| <b>Croesus.</b> Illustrated   | 2.50        | 19.00   |
| <b>Dick Wellband.</b> Illustrated. A lovely large pure white with orange-scarlet cup  | 1.50        | 11.50   |
| <b>Dorine.</b> Illustrated on back cover. Tall and stately, yellow perianth, rich orange cup  | 4.00        | 30.00   |
| * <b>Fortune.</b> Huge deep pure yellow with rich orange trumpet. Flowers 6 inches across   | 4.00        | 30.00   |
| * <b>Helios.</b> A pure yellow extra early variety. Excellent cut flower, good forcing variety  | 6.00        | 45.00   |
| <b>Orange Glow.</b> Illustrated on back cover. Large flower, tall stems; deep yellow perianth; flaring and frilled orange trumpet           | 1.50        | 11.50   |
| * <b>Scarlet Leader.</b> The most outstanding show variety of the past decade. White perianth with broad, flat cup of intense brilliant red | 4.00        | 30.00   |
|   | Each \$2.25 | 25.00   |

## LEEDSI VARIETIES

Favored by connoisseurs and exhibitors, the Leeds type embodies the delicate yellow and white bi-colors, varieties with pink and apricot tones in trumpet and cup, as well as the pure white.

|  |        |         |
|--|--------|---------|
| * <b>Daisy Schaeffer.</b> Large, graceful bloom, pure white perianth, large lemon-yellow trumpet. An outstanding favorite  | Doz.   | 100     |
| <b>Frylink.</b> Illustrated on back cover. A large white with sulphur-yellow cup   | \$3.00 | \$22.00 |
| * <b>Gertie Millar.</b> Illustrated on page 10. Ranks with Daisy Schaeffer in popularity. Solid creamy white, deeper trumpet, flower of great substance            | 2.25   | 17.50   |
| <b>Queen of the North.</b> Pure white, dainty flower with short cup. Like a large Poeticus   | 3.00   | 22.00   |
| * <b>Silver Star.</b> A large type classed as a trumpet variety. White perianth, creamy yellow trumpet   | 1.50   | 11.50   |
| * <b>Tunis.</b> Illustrated on page 10. A late blooming show variety of great substance. Trumpet takes an apricot-pink tinge. Especially recommended for the South | 2.25   | 17.50   |
|  | 3.00   | 22.00   |

## BARRI VARIETIES

Really lovely large Poeticus or Pheasant's Eye varieties. Splendid for naturalizing and cutting.

|  |        |         |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>Bath's Flame.</b> An all-yellow beauty. The cup is deep gold edged with scarlet         | Doz.   | 100     |
| <b>Lady Diana Manners.</b> Illustrated on back cover. An outstanding colorful show variety | \$1.35 | \$10.50 |
|  | 2.50   | 19.00   |

## SCHLING'S *Flower and Bulb Leadership*



Spring Glory

### Our Famous OREGON TRAIL MIXTURE Of Daffodils and Narcissus For Naturalizing

See page 1. Our standard value offering since 1915.

If anything, our carefully blended mixture of Daffodils and Narcissi, which has been our outstanding bulb value for the past thirty years, should be better this year than ever before, for we can add a much wider selection of varieties. Consistently one of the most satisfactory items ever sold by our firm. A long time investment in beauty.

|         |        |          |          |
|---------|--------|----------|----------|
| 50 for  | \$3.85 | 1000 for | \$ 67.50 |
| 100 for | 7.00   | 2000 for | 127.50   |



Dick Wellband



Actaea. The Best Poeticus





**Babylon Majestic**  
The Largest Yellow Daffodil

## BABYLON MAJESTIC

Max Schling Introduction 1944

The greatest testimonial we could have was that in 1945, the second year since its introduction, we were completely sold out long before the end of the season. A single flower won the prize as the best flower in the New York Horticultural Society Show for 1945.

Coming into bloom after King Alfred, it will extend your enjoyment period of Daffodils for an additional two weeks.

PRICE: \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.



Tunis

# An Exclusive Selection of

## CHOSEN BY WORLD FAMED

We are proud to offer a collection of exclusive Narcissi that are new, beautiful, practical and breathtaking. Every exhibitor and Daffodil lover will want this collection.

|  | Each   | Doz.    |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>Agra.</b> (Incomparabilis.) Large white perianth with vivid scarlet cup. Easily one of the finest garden varieties. Sold last year for \$5.00 each .....                                    | \$1.00 | \$11.00 |
| <b>Ballet.</b> (Incomparabilis.) Enormous and graceful white perianth. A strong grower of great substance, lovely lemon-yellow cup .....   | 1.00   | 11.00   |
| <b>Janice Paige.</b> (Hermari.) OFFERED FOR THE FIRST TIME THIS YEAR. A sister to Normandy. Clusters of huge white blossoms with yellow cups margined bright scarlet. A sure prizewinner ..... | 1.25   | 13.25   |
| <b>Mrs. Percy Neal.</b> (Giant Leeds.) Star-shaped late bloomer, large white perianth, expanded lemon-yellow trumpet ..  | .85    | 9.50    |
| <b>Whitely Gem.</b> (Incomparabilis.) An extra early golden yellow with large beautiful red cup. Award of Merit of Royal Horticultural Society .....   | .50    | 5.50    |

## EXCLUSIVE CONNOISSEUR COLLECTION

|   |
|---|
| 1 each of 5 varieties (value \$ 4.60) for \$ 4.00 |
| 3 each of 5 varieties (value 13.80) for 12.75     |
| 12 each of 5 varieties (value 50.25) for 46.50    |

## NEW AND RARE DAFFODIL COLLECTION

For those who have not ventured these outstanding varieties because of their cost prior to this year, we offer a selection of five outstanding show varieties in a special introductory offer.

|                                | Beersheba<br>Mrs. R. O. Backhouse | Fortune | Golden Harvest<br>Dick Wellband |
|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---------|---------------------------------|
| 3 EACH (15 bulbs in all) ..... |                                   |         | \$ 7.00                         |
| 6 EACH (30 bulbs in all) ..... |                                   |         | 13.00                           |

All of these premium varieties were worth \$1.00 or more each prior to this year.

PAPER-WHITE AND SOLEIL D'OR NARSISSI FOR INDOOR GROWING ARE OFFERED ON PAGE 18



**Gertie Millar**  
Consistent Show Prize Winner



# the World's Finest Varieties

## NARCISSUS AUTHORITIES

### POETAZ or TAZETTA HYBRIDS

Bunch flowering Narcissi that are invaluable for landscape effects, naturalizing and cutting. Doz. 100

|   |               |         |
|---|---------------|---------|
| <b>Geranium.</b> Striking pure white with deep orange-red cup. A delightful combination .....                           | \$1.75        | \$13.00 |
| <b>L'Innocence.</b> A gorgeous large white cluster with light yellow cups. One of the best .....                        | 1.50          | 11.50   |
| <b>f. Laurens Koster.</b> The old and very popular white with deep yellow cups. Fine forcing variety .....              | 1.25          | 9.75    |
| <b>* Normandy.</b> The most effective variety for mass effects. Illustrated. See description at right .....             | Each \$1.00.. | 11.00   |
| <b>Red Guard.</b> Rich yellow perianth with deep orange-red cups. Outstanding in combination with white varieties ..... | 1.75          | 13.00   |

### POETICUS or PHEASANT EYE

|  |        |         |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>Actaea.</b> Illustrated on page 9. The best for size, purity and color contrast. Tall and stately. An exquisite cut flower .. | \$1.50 | \$11.50 |
| <b>Dante.</b> Late flowering Pheasant's Eye; pleasing in mass effects. ....  | 1.20   | 9.00    |
| <b>Eagle.</b> Pure white with very vivid eye .....   | 1.20   | 9.00    |

### DOUBLE FLOWERING TYPES

|  |        |         |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>Albus Plenus Odoratus.</b> Double pure white, sweet scented. Late bloomer .....   | \$1.75 | \$13.00 |
| <b>f. Cheerfulness.</b> Illustrated. Double cluster type. Fine cut flower. ....  | 1.75   | 13.00   |
| <b>Mary Copeland.</b> A hitherto rare and expensive variety. Pure white and deep orange in alternating rows of petals. Flower is of perfect form ..... | 2.25   | 17.50   |
| <b>f. Twink.</b> A sulphury yellow counterpart of Mary Copeland. Orange petals alternate .....   | 2.25   | 17.50   |
| <b>f. Van Sion.</b> Pure golden yellow, fully double. Dwarf stems; excellent forcer and rock garden type .....   | 1.35   | 10.50   |

### MINIATURE TYPES

#### Jonquils, Etc.—For Rock Gardens

|   |        |         |
|---|--------|---------|
| Most of these varieties are rock garden essentials. Fairy Flowers, Gems of the Rockery—call them what you will—they are exquisitely beautiful. Doz. 100 |        |         |
| <b>Bulbocodium Citrinus</b> (Hoop-Petticoat Daffodil). Petite and prim. Height 6 inches. Pale lemon-yellow .....  | \$1.35 | \$10.50 |
| <b>Bulbocodium Conspicuum.</b> Deep yellow form of above .....  | 1.10   | 8.00    |
| <b>Golden Perfection.</b> Large deep yellow Jonquil, three blooms open on a stem. Very choice. Height 16 inches .....                                   | 2.75   | 20.00   |
| <b>Jonquilla Simplex.</b> The true single sweet scented Jonquil .....   | 1.45   | 11.00   |
| <b>Jonquilla, Double Campenelle.</b> Clusters of double golden yellow blooms .....  | 1.45   | 11.00   |
| <b>Moonshine.</b> (Cyclamen-Flowered.) Star-shaped creamy yellow flowers borne three to a stem. A gem for the rock garden .....                         | 1.75   | 13.00   |
| <b>Triandrus Albus</b> (Angel's Tears). A picture of pure white grace and beauty in the rock garden .....   | 2.25   | 17.50   |
| <b>Thalia.</b> Pure white miniature Daffodil borne three to a stem. Beautiful and rare. ....  | 3.00   | 22.50   |
| <b>W. P. Milner.</b> A dwarf miniature pure white Trumpet Daffodil for rock garden ...  | 2.25   | 17.50   |

### OUR FAMOUS RARITY COLLECTION ILLUSTRATED ON BACK COVER—LISTED ON PAGE 21



**Beersheba**  
Really Pure White



**Normandy.** The Newest of the New

### NORMANDY

NORMANDY is an entirely new member of the race of Daffodils introduced by us the first time last year. We have received many commendations from those who tried them and many prizes were won at various shows.

Each floret is as large as a Barri or Incomparabilis type and the flowers are borne in clusters of three to a stem blooming quite late in the season.

One does not have to be a Narcissi fancier to appreciate the beauty and practicality of this variety for garden effects and startling cut flower arrangements.

**PRICE: \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.**



**Cheerfulness.** Like a Bunch of Gardenias



FRAGRANT  
AND  
DELIGHTFUL

# HYACINTHS

from HOLLAND

Supply limited. Order early. Designate second choice for substitution.

|                         | 3      | 12     | 100     |
|-------------------------|--------|--------|---------|
| Jumbo Exhibition Size   | \$1.85 | \$6.50 | \$48.00 |
| Strong Forcing Size . . | 1.25   | 4.25   | 32.50   |
| Jumbo Bedding Size .    | 1.00   | 3.00   | 20.00   |

No separate colors sold in smaller units than three of each.

"f." denotes varieties most suitable for early forcing.

## BLUE

- f. **King of the Blues**. Dark rich blue.  
f. **Grand Maitre**. Porcelain-blue.  
**Queen of the Blues**. Light blue.

## PINK and RED

- f. **Lady Derby**. Lovely light pink.  
f. **Marconi**. Deep rose.  
**Jan Bos**. Huge red.  
**Queen of the Pinks**. Pale pink.

## WHITE

- f. **L'Innocence**. Early white.  
**Queen of the Whites**. Late white.

## YELLOW

- City of Haarlem**. Pale creamy yellow.

## TWO OUTSTANDING NEW COLORS

Supply Limited

**Apricot Queen**. Just picture an orange-apricot Hyacinth flower shading to a rich apricot-pink.

**Scarlet Prince**. A brilliant vivid scarlet, really red.

|                        | 3      | 12     | 100     |
|------------------------|--------|--------|---------|
| Bedding Size . . . . . | \$1.75 | \$6.25 | \$47.50 |
| Forcing Size . . . . . | 2.10   | 8.35   | 60.00   |

## ROYAL GARDEN HYACINTH COLLECTION

(Jumbo Bedding Size)

Packed in Holland. No Substitutions.

- Queen of the Whites**  
**Queen of the Blues**  
**Queen of the Pinks**

10 bulbs of each (30 bulbs in all) for \$6.25  
Postpaid



Scarlet Prince



Jumbo Bedding Hyacinths Mixed



King of the Blues



Marconi



# Schling's HARDY BULBOUS IRIS

The following classes of Iris are the most satisfactory sources of garden cut flowers in the month of June. Highly prized by florists, they are superb in the garden in clumps and groupings. The blues are unmatched for color.

## ENGLISH IRIS

**Plant September-October**

Exquisite garden and cut flowers blooming early to mid-June. Very hardy.

**Bleu Celeste.** Light blue.

**King of the Blues.** Dark blue.

**Mont Blanc.** White.

**Orhelo.** Winy maroon color.

**Sunset.** Pinkish lavender.

**Mixed.**

\$2.75 per doz.; \$17.00 per 100.

## DUTCH IRIS

|   | Doz.   | 100    |
|---|--------|--------|
| <b>Blue Horizon.</b> Pale blue .....                            | \$1.00 | \$7.75 |
| <b>Golden Harvest.</b> Clear pale yellow .....                  | 1.10   | 8.00   |
| <b>f. Leonardo da Vinci.</b> Canary-yellow, white standards ..  | 1.10   | 8.00   |
| <b>Imperator.</b> Standard large dark blue .....                | 1.00   | 7.75   |
| <b>f. Early Imperator.</b> Blooms two weeks earlier than above. | 1.10   | 8.00   |
| <b>f. White Excelsior.</b> Standard white .....                 | 1.10   | 8.00   |
| <b>White Superior.</b> New large pure white .....               | 1.25   | 9.00   |
| <b>f. Yellow Queen</b> Standard golden yellow .....             | 1.00   | 7.75   |
| <b>Mixed.</b> All colors .....                                  | 1.00   | 7.75   |

## IRIS, WEDGEWOOD

**f.** A magnificent early flowering Iris. The finest of its kind, bright light blue. Perfectly hardy with protection north of Philadelphia. The best Iris for greenhouse forcing.

Jumbo Bulbs: \$1.50 per doz.; \$11.00 per 100.

## IRIS RETICULATA

A miniature form of Dutch Iris, sweet scented and lovely. These are invaluable for outdoor planting particularly in the rock garden. Early planting is required. If planted in pots in September they will force readily into bloom for Christmas. Outdoors plant in combination with Tulipa Clusiana. \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

## BEARDED GARDEN IRIS

Can be planted until October 15th. We offer a collection of six named varieties, all new and selected for sturdiness and fine colors. Price: \$5.00.

**Surprise Mixture.** A selection comprised of discarded seedlings from a fine hybridizer, discarded only because of similarity to existing varieties. An outstanding offer. \$6.00 per doz.; \$45.00 per 100.



Dutch  
Iris



Iris Reticulata



English Iris, King of the Blues



# Miscellaneous Hardy Bulbs

## FALL BLOOMING BULBS

Plant Immediately for Bloom This Year



*Fritillaria Imperialis*

|  | Doz.   | 100     |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>ALLIUM Neapolitanum.</b> Heads of lovely white flowers. Excellent for naturalizing in shade .....   | \$1.00 | \$ 7.50 |
| <b>BLETILLA Hyacinthina</b> (Hardy Orchid). Delightful pink. December delivery ... Each 75c..  | 8.25   |         |
| <b>BLETILLA Hyacinthina Alba.</b> Pure white form of above. Each 75c..   | 8.25   |         |
| <b>CALOCHORTUS</b> (Mariposa or Butterfly Tulip). Gorgeous gems for the rock garden. Hardy with slight protection .....                                | 1.00   | 7.50    |
| <b>CAMASSIA Leichtlini, Blue</b> (Camassia Lily). Beautiful spikes of blue 18 inches long with myriads of flowers. Excellent for shady locations ..... | 1.75   | 12.50   |

## Fall Blooming Crocus

Plant these around shrubs, trees, along walks, rock gardens, in the Rose beds. It is the most widely appreciated fall-blooming flower.

|  | Doz.   | 100     |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>Crocus Sativus</b> (Saffron Crocus). October blooming, rich purple-blue with orange-red anthers ..... | \$1.00 | \$ 7.50 |
| <b>Crocus Speciosus.</b> Rich bluish purple, orange anthers .....  | 1.00   | 7.50    |
| <b>Crocus Speciosus Albus.</b> Pure white of unusual beauty; orange anthers ..                           | 1.15   | 8.75    |
| <b>Crocus Zonatus.</b> Rosy lilac, yellow anthers, large flower .....                                    | .90    | 7.00    |

## Eremurus

(Giant Foxtail Lily)

These impressive spikes of bloom are prized by amateur and professional gardeners alike. We can supply a full range of colors and varieties in strong blooming size roots.

|   |
|---|
| <b>Bungei.</b> Giant yellow.                                  |
| <b>Himalaicus.</b> Giant pure white.                          |
| <b>Him-Rob.</b> Pale pink.                                    |
| <b>Shelford Hybrids.</b> Pastel tones.                        |
| <b>Price: \$1.95 each; 1 each of the 4 varieties, \$7.35.</b> |

|  | Doz.   | 100     |
|--|--------|---------|
| <b>ERYTHRONIUM</b> (Dog-Tooth Violets; Trout Lilies). A mixture of all the fine hardy types. Lovely pastel shades. Excellent for naturalizing in shade ..... | \$1.00 | \$ 7.50 |

## Colchicum

|  | Each   | Doz.   |
|--|--------|--------|
| <b>Autumnale.</b> Late flowering light violet .....  | \$0.40 | \$4.50 |
| <b>Autumnale Album.</b> Pure white .....   | .60    | 6.50   |
| <b>Autumnale Album Plenum.</b> Handsome double white flowers resembling Bloodroot. Late blooming .....           | 2.00   |        |
| <b>Autumnale Major.</b> Soft violet .....  | .45    | 5.00   |
| <b>Autumnale Rosea Plena.</b> Lovely double pink; late flowering .....   | .75    | 8.25   |
| <b>Autumn Queen.</b> The earliest variety to blossom. Rich deep purple with artistic blotch. Flowers very large. | .75    | 8.25   |
| <b>The Giant.</b> Midseason, huge flower, tall stems. Very early flowering. Deep lilac-mauve, white center ...   | .75    | 8.25   |
| <b>Violet Queen.</b> Midseason. Very dark purple. The darkest Colchicum. Large blossoms .....                    | .75    | 8.25   |

## Fritillaria

|  | Doz.           | 100     |
|--|----------------|---------|
| <b>Meleagris Assorted</b> (Guinea Hen Flower). Beautiful bell-like flowers in all colors. Splendid shade creations in the rock garden and for naturalizing. Perfectly hardy .... | \$1.75         | \$13.50 |
| <b>Imperialis</b> (Crown Imperial). (Illustrated.) Showy and gorgeous bulbous perennials over 4 ft. in height. Splendid for mass effect .....                                    | 3 for \$2.35.. | 8.25    |

## Crocus - Spring Blooming

Jumbo bulbs only. Five to six blooms per bulb.

|  | Doz.   | 100    |
|--|--------|--------|
| <b>Grand Lilas.</b> Pale lilac-blue .....            | \$0.75 | \$5.25 |
| <b>Remembrance.</b> Rich navy-blue .....             | .75    | 5.25   |
| <b>Striped Beauty.</b> Lilac and white stripes. .... | .75    | 5.25   |
| <b>Snowstorm.</b> Pure white .....                   | .75    | 5.25   |
| <b>Yellow Mammoth.</b> Golden yellow ....            | .75    | 5.25   |

## Species Crocus

|  |      |      |
|--|------|------|
| <b>Susianus</b> (Cloth of Gold). Bright golden yellow; thin brown stripe on outside of petals; very hardy; very choice ..... | 1.00 | 7.75 |
| <b>Korolkowi.</b> Golden yellow shaded bronze .....  | 1.00 | 7.75 |
| <b>Tomasianus.</b> Soft lavender-blue ....   | 1.00 | 7.75 |

## Crocus, Victory Mixture

A special blend of all colors grown, selected and packed in Holland. Guaranteed flowering bulbs in jumbo size. 50 for \$1.35; 100 for \$2.50; 500 for \$11.25; 1000 for \$21.50.



Grape Hyacinth



*Mertensia Virginica*



Remembrance



Yellow Mammoth



Striped Beauty



# HARBINGERS OF SPRING

## FOR OUTDOOR AND NATURALISTIC PLANTING

**CHIONODOXA Luciliae** (Glory-of-the-Snow). Top size bulbs. The earliest and bravest spring harbinger of all. Bright blue flowers with white eye poking through the snow .....\$0.70 5.50

**DICENTRA** (Bleeding Heart). Heavy blooming roots .... Each 85c.. 10.00

**ERANTHIS Hyemalis** (Winter Aconite). February blooming. Golden yellow; very hardy. Height 2 inches ..... .70 5.50

**GRAPE HYACINTHS** (Muscari). Jumbo bulbs only (4 to 5 blooms per bulb).  
**Armenicum**. Large bright blue... .70 5.50  
**Heavenly Blue**. Lovely pale blue... .70 5.50  
**Pure White** (Muscari Botryoides Alba) ..... .80 6.00

**IXIOLIRION Pallasii**. A new flower of unusual beauty for the June garden. Splendid in rock gardens. These rare blooms are exquisite for cut flowers and splendid for mass planting. Perfectly hardy .. 1.50 11.00

**LEUCOJUM Vernum** (Spring Snowflakes). Attractive pure white flowers tipped green. Perfectly hardy. Will bloom first week in April. Jumbo bulbs only ..... 1.25 9.50

**LYCORIS Squamigera** (Magic Lily). Also known as Amaryllis Halli. The lovely Magic Lilies are perfectly hardy. Attractive foliage in the spring which dies off in July and is succeeded by clusters of lovely lavender Amaryllis flowers. Strong flowering bulbs ..... Each \$1.25.. 12.00

**MERTENSIA Virginica** (Virginian Cowslips or Bluebells). An attractive early blooming, fleshy rooted perennial. Very beautiful and effective in the spring border mixed with Daffodils and early Tulips. Strong No. 1 roots. Price: 3 for \$1.55; 6 for \$2.75 ..... 5.00

**ORNITHOGALUM Umbellatum** (Star of Bethlehem). Perfectly round clusters of pure white, star-shaped flowers. Very effective ..... 90 6.50

**SCILLA Campanulata** (Wood Hyacinths; Bluebells). Jumbo bulbs only.

**Alba**. Pure white .....\$0.75 \$5.65  
**Blue King**. Rich blue ..... .75 5.65  
**Peach Blossom**. Pale pink ... .75 5.65

**SCILLA Sibirica** (Blue Squills). Jumbo bulbs.  
**Regular Blue**. Lovely star-shaped bright blue blossoms. .80 6.00

### Scilla, Spring Beauty

A very greatly improved form of Scilla Sibirica that produces heavy trusses of large bright indigo-blue flowers that are long lasting and lovely .....\$1.35 \$10.00

### SNOWDROPS

The giant flowering strain. Doz. 100  
 Plant liberally under shrubs ...\$0.85 \$6.50

### Spring Harbinger Collection

A special collection packed in Holland, each variety individually packed and labeled. We consider this the best way for all gardeners to become acquainted with these choice extra early spring-flowering bulbs.

#### Crocus Mixed.

**Scilla Campanulata Mixed** (Wood Hyacinths).

**Scilla Sibirica Blue** (Blue Squills).

#### Snowdrops.

**Chionodoxa** (Glory-of-the-Snow).

**Grape Hyacinths, Blue** (Muscari).

**Grape Hyacinths, White** (Muscari).

10 each ( 70 bulbs in all) \$2.85  
 25 each (175 bulbs in all) 6.65



Fritillaria Meleagris



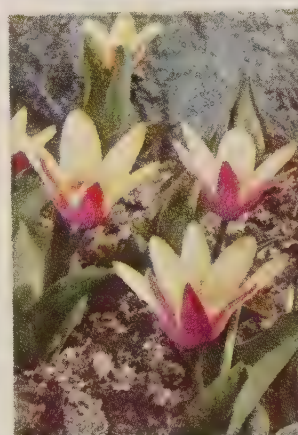
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Snowdrops



Leucojum



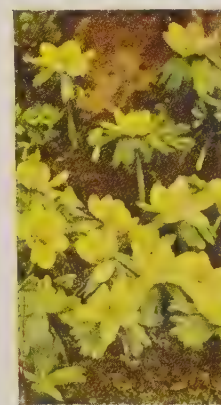
Tulipa Kaufmanniana



Scilla Sibirica



Scilla Campanulata



Eranthis Hyemalis



Ornithogalum Umbellatum



Species Daffodils



# Schling's SUPERB HARDY Garden

All Lilies, with the exception of Madonna Lilies, are delivered in late October and early November. For those who are afraid that the ground may be frozen before this date, we recommend the following: Select the spot where the Lilies are to be planted; cover well with leaves, straw, salt hay, etc., to prevent the intrusion of frost. With this treatment it will be possible to plant Lily bulbs through November and December in the coldest climates.

Planting depth on all Lilies except Candidum, 6 to 8 inches over top of bulb; Candidum 2 to 3 inches.

## Madonna Lilies (L. Candidum)—Imported French Grown

June Blooming. Plant September 1st to November.

There are no Lilies that are as interesting and as inspiring as the lovely Madonna. Symbolically chaste and graceful they really steal the show from gaudier garden subjects. Plant in masses for best effect. They increase in beauty each year.

|                                | 3      | 12      | 100     |
|--------------------------------|--------|---------|---------|
| Strong Flowering Bulbs .....   | \$1.65 | \$ 6.25 | \$47.50 |
| Regular Mammoth Bulbs .....    | 2.50   | 9.25    | 70.00   |
| Regular Jumbo Bulbs .....      | 2.95   | 10.75   | 82.50   |
| Mammoth Exhibition Bulbs ..... | 3.65   | 13.50   |         |
| Jumbo Exhibition Bulbs .....   | 4.00   | 15.00   |         |

Album. See Speciosum Album.

Canadense. July blooming. Bell-shaped, yellow spotted black .....

|  |        |        |         |
|--|--------|--------|---------|
|  | 3      | 12     | 100     |
|  | \$1.25 | \$4.25 | \$30.00 |

Canadense Rubrum. July-blooming. Rich deep red form of above. Very fine..

|  |      |      |       |
|--|------|------|-------|
|  | 3    | 12   | 100   |
|  | 1.35 | 4.50 | 34.00 |

Centifolium. July blooming. A beautiful heavy flowering hardy Lily with large white trumpets, reverse shaded brown. Jumbo bulbs only..

|  |      |      |     |
|--|------|------|-----|
|  | 3    | 12   | 100 |
|  | 2.50 | 9.50 |     |

Pardalinum Giganteum (Sunset Lily). June blooming.

Tall, beautiful spikes bearing lovely deep maroon and gold blooms. Beauty Increases each year .....

|  |        |        |         |
|--|--------|--------|---------|
|  | 3      | 12     | 100     |
|  | \$1.25 | \$4.25 | \$30.00 |

Philippinense Formosanum. A perfectly hardy pure white Easter Lily with trumpets 10 in. long. August blooming. Extra large bulbs ...

|  |      |      |       |
|--|------|------|-------|
|  | 3    | 12   | 100   |
|  | 1.40 | 5.00 | 37.50 |

## Lilium Regale

The most IMPORTANT garden Lily by virtue of the fact that it is completely satisfactory in every section of the country. They are prolific bloomers. Flowers are beautiful and impressive, and the plants improve from year to year. Color of the bloom is white with canary-yellow throat; reverse of flower often showing pink.

|   | 3      | 12     | 100     |
|---|--------|--------|---------|
| Strong Flowering Bulbs, 3 to 5 blooms per bulb. Recommended for mass planting ..... | \$1.25 | \$4.00 | \$30.00 |
| Garden Show Size, 4 to 6 blooms per bulb .....                                      | 1.45   | 5.00   | 37.50   |
| Giant Flowering Bulbs, 6 to 8 blooms per bulb..                                     | 1.75   | 6.25   | 47.50   |
| Mammoth Exhibition Bulbs, 8 to 12 blooms per bulb. Excellent forcing size .....     | 2.25   | 8.25   | 60.00   |
| Jumbo Exhibition Bulbs, 20 to 25 blooms per bulb .....                              | 3.15   | 11.75  | 90.00   |

**Lilium Estate**  
August Blooming.  
**Naturalizing Size.** An opportunity to establish large natural plantings of a pure white hardy Easter Lily at very low cost. We have been able to obtain a sizeable quantity of this famous Lily in a small flowering size, which will bear one or two flowers next season and maybe more the first year. These bulbs will eventually grow into fine Jumbo bulbs. Price: \$1.65 per doz.; 50 for \$6.25; 100 for \$11.50; \$105.00 per 1000.

**Giant Jumbo Size.** \$1.15 each; \$12.00 per doz.

**Hansoni.** June blooming. One of the choicest hardy garden Lilies. Umbels of lovely deep yellow flowers of unusual substance and fragrance. An excellent cut flower. Jumbo bulbs only. Each \$1.50; \$17.50 per doz.

**Henryi.** Late August blooming. A sturdy, disease-free, showy Lily; tall and stately. One of the finest late summer cut flowers. Established plantings bloom for years without attention. Giant Jumbo bulbs, \$2.55 per 3; \$9.50 per doz..



Lilium Candidum



Lilium Speciosum Magnificum



Lilium Tenuifolium



Lilium Regale



# Lilies

## DEPENDABLE PROVEN VARIETIES AND NOVELTIES

### Lilium Speciosum Rubrum and Album

**Speciosum Rubrum.** Ample stocks now available of fine imported bulbs. Without doubt the most practical and beautiful hardy garden Lily. Plant in masses or for cutting.

|                             | Each   | Doz.    |
|-----------------------------|--------|---------|
| Large Flowering Bulbs ..... | \$0.90 | \$10.00 |
| Mammoth Bulbs .....         | 1.10   | 12.50   |
| Jumbo Bulbs (Limited) ..... | 1.50   | 16.75   |

**Speciosum Album.** Pure white form of above. Supply limited.

|                             |      |       |
|-----------------------------|------|-------|
| Large Flowering Bulbs ..... | 1.10 | 12.50 |
| Mammoth Bulbs .....         | 1.35 | 15.00 |

**Shuksan.** A vigorous disease-free variety. Lovely canary-yellow with maroon spots. Tall and prolific, 12 to 18 blooms per bulb. Very hardy under all conditions.

|                             | Three  | Doz.    |
|-----------------------------|--------|---------|
| Mammoth Bulbs .....         | \$2.75 | \$10.00 |
| Large Flowering Bulbs ..... | 1.75   | 6.50    |

**Tenuifolium** (Coral Lily). Coral-red, recurved Lily, gracefully spaced. June bloomer. Splendid for forcing. Perfectly hardy. 100 for \$30.00 .....

1.25 4.25

**Tigrinum Splendens** (Improved Tiger Lily). The old favorite, tall, 4 to 6 feet, deep orange Lily with black spots. August blooming. 1.55

5.75

**Umbellatum, Orange Triumph.** A novelty Lily of highest merit. Similar to Umbellatum. Color a pure light orange. A gorgeous addition to the Lily garden .....

11.00

**Umbellatum Erectum.** June bloomer. Large, erect chalice-like blossoms of deep golden yellow. Height 15 inches. Unusually fine cut flower of commercial quality. Excellent for mixed perennial borders. Jumbo bulbs, \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

### Prepared Bulb Fiber

For growing the indoor bulbs on page 18 without mess, and to be able to use undrained containers we recommend our Prepared Bulb Fiber.

Quart 25c; 4 qts., 75c; ½ peck, \$1.35.

### Important Note on Delivery Dates

Because of the late maturing date of Lilies and the necessity for curing them properly before harvesting, delivery is hardly possible on all Lilies other than Madonnas before November 1st. For that reason we will put in

### COLD STORAGE

any order for a dozen or more bulbs of a variety to be held for SPRING SHIPMENT at a cost of \$1.00 additional per order of one dozen or more. Spring delivery will be made at buyer's instruction.



Lilium Speciosum Album

### Lily-of-the-Valley Pips for Indoor Forcing

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For best results start planting December 1st for Christmas bloom, and thereafter. Planting can be continued until late April. Blooming period 3 to 4 weeks from planting. For best results use Schling's Prepared Bulb Fiber.

Price: 12 pips for \$2.25; bundle of 25 pips, \$4.25; \$16.00 per 100.

Supply very limited—subject to ability to supply.



Lilium Estate



Lilium Henryi





Calla Elliottiana

Prepared Bulb Fiber  
See page 17



Amaryllis Hybrid

# CONSERVATORY BULBS FOR INDOOR HOME CULTURE AND GREENHOUSE

All Bulbs Listed On This Page are Suitable for Outdoor Planting in Southern States South of Missouri-Carolina Line

hh—Denotes bulbs that are hardy south of Baltimore, but require protection north of Baltimore.  
hb—Denotes bulbs that are hardy anywhere.

## Amaryllis

Plant October to February

**Schling's Giant Sequoia Hybrids.** Our gorgeous strain should not be confused with ordinary Amaryllis. Growth, color and size stamp these as the best in their class. Every indoor gardener should have one or more pots of these gorgeous plants. Giant Jumbo Exhibition bulbs only. \$1.50 each; \$16.25 per doz.

### MAMMOTH EXHIBITION BULBS IN SEPARATE COLORS:

**White Ground.** Mostly white but we cannot guarantee these as pure white.

**Deep Red.**

**Bright Scarlet Shades.**

\$1.75 each; \$19.25 per doz.

## Anemone

Plant September to December

Exquisite for cutting. While listed as a forcing bulb, they are considered hardy as far north as New York; with protection can be planted safely anywhere.

**De Caen** (The French Poppy Anemone). Fine mixture of single varieties.

**Blue Poppy.** Single rich deep blue.

**His Excellency.** Brilliant single scarlet.

**The Bride.** Pure white, black center.

Exhibition Size Only: \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

## Freesias

SCHLING'S NEW PATENTED VARIETIES

Plant September to November.

These new varieties represent a new race of Freesias. The flowers are immense, twice the size of ordinary varieties; the colors are intense, they are strong, virile growers, and the flowers are borne on immense trusses. None of these improvements have minimized the fragrance of the old type. In fact, the delicate and delightful aroma seems to be enhanced in these new varieties.

**Apple Blossom.** Delicate pink. (U. S. Plant Pat. No. 486.)

**Bronze Giant.** Combination of copper and bronze.

**Giant Cream.** Enormous cream-yellow, distinct orange-yellow throat; very tall, vigorous. Delightful fragrance.

**King of the Yellows.** (U. S. Plant Patent No. 488.)

**Maryon.** Beautiful mauve. (U. S. Plant Patent No. 32.)

**Snowstorm.** Pure white. (U. S. Plant Patent No. 32.)

\$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

### FREESIAS, REGULAR VARIETIES

**Elder's Giant White.**

**Golden Daffodil.** Yellow.

**Lavender King.**

**Pink Beauty.**

**Purity.** Pure white.

**Sunset.** Orange.

**Red Giant.**

**Mixed.**

\$1.00 per doz.; \$7.50 per 100.

## Begonias, Tuberous-Rooted

December Delivery.

TYPES: Double Camellia and Carnation-Flowered, Single Fringed and Straight Edged. COLORS: Crimson, pink, scarlet, salmon, yellow, white, apricot and orange. Order in separate colors and types or mixed.

Belgian-grown bulbs: \$3.00 per doz.; \$22.00 per 100.

## Fancy-Leaved Caladiums

January Delivery—Plant January to June.

Plant in pots in Schling's Bulb Fiber or light loamy soil. Beautiful colored foliage plants can be had for Easter, Mother's Day and throughout the entire summer.

Exhibition Jumbo Bulbs Only. 60c each; 3 for \$1.50; \$5.50 per doz.

## Calla Lilies

Plant September to January.

These old favorites are still one of the most satisfactory bulbs for home culture.

**White Calla** (Z. Aethiopica). Pure white. Jumbo bulbs only. 85c each; \$8.25 per doz.; \$58.00 per 100.

**Golden Calla** (Z. Elliottiana). Pure golden yellow Calla of easy culture. Plant December first for midwinter bloom; plant February 1st for Easter bloom. Jumbo bulbs only. 85c each; \$9.50 per doz.

**Black Calla** (Arum Pictum). The most interesting oddity, creating no end of interest.

\$1.10 each; \$12.00 per doz.

**Pink Calla** (Z. Rehmanni). A sensation of the International Flower Show. Easily grown as exquisite pot plants. \$1.25 each; \$13.50 per doz.

## French Roman Hyacinths

These airy and lovely forcing bulbs are a most delightful subject for home growing. Not to be confused with heavy spike producing Dutch Hyacinths.

**White French Roman.** \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

**Blue French Roman.** \$3.50 per doz.; \$25.00 per 100.

**Pink French Roman.** \$4.00 per doz.; \$30.00 per 100.

## Baby Gladiolus

Plant October to December.

**Tristis Supreme.** The finest of all Tristis Hybrids. Pure white with delicate greenish cast in center; tall, vigorous, delicately fragrant. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

**Cardinal.** Brilliant red.

**Peach Blossom.** Soft pink.

**Pink Perfection.** Lovely rose-pink.

**Spitfire.** Orange-red.

\$1.65 per doz.; \$12.00 per 100.

## Lachenalia

Plant September to November.

A comparative newcomer but deserving of the highest honors. Lovely impressive spikes of bloom that are easily forced in the home. Should be grown in a cool, bright location, and if planted before October 10th will bloom easily for Christmas.

**Aurea.** Lovely rich yellow spikes. (New.)

**Blue Beauty.** Rich true blue; easy forcer.

**Pendula Superba.** Brilliant coral-red tipped green.

Prices on All Above:

3 for \$1.00; \$3.00 per doz.; \$22.50 per 100.

## Leucocoryne

(Glory-of-the-Sun)

Plant September to February.

Gorgeous, fragrant blue flowers on graceful wiry stems. Cut flowers last ten days to two weeks. The CHOICE bulbs we offer will give 100 per cent bloom. Same culture as Freesias. Jumbo bulbs, \$1.75 per doz.; \$13.00 per 100.

## Narcissus (Polyantha)

Plant October to January.

**Paper-White Grandiflora.** 100 per cent American-grown. This splendid bulbous plant is as well known to the American public as apple pie. No home or apartment is complete without one or more bulbs of the beautiful white, star-shaped flowers in various stages of growth. All bulbs are jumbo size, especially grown for us and are sure to bloom. Jumbo bulbs, \$1.25 per doz.; \$9.00 per 100.

**Grand Soleil d'Or.** A golden Paper-White. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

## Ornithogalum

(Star of Bethlehem)

Plant October to January.

**Arabicum.** A beautiful and impressive easy-to-grow bloom. Huge clusters of pure white, star-shaped flowers with black "shoe button" eyes on strong, graceful stems. Increasing in popularity. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

**Aureum.** Gorgeous heads of brilliant orange. A splendid greenhouse forcer. Pot cultivation recommended. \$2.00 per doz.; \$15.00 per 100.

## Oxalis

Plant September to February.

**Bowiei.** Easily grown in the home. The lovely foliage resembles perfect giant four-leaf Clovers, and flowers are a delicate pink.

**Bermuda Buttercup.** Rich golden yellow.

**Grand Duchess Lavender.** Same as above. Clear lavender flowers.

**Grand Duchess Pink.** Rich pink.

65c per doz.; \$4.25 per 100.

## hb Ranunculus

Plant October to January.

Beautiful for forcing or for outdoor planting. They are hardy as far north as Virginia, and with protection are hardy anywhere. For forcing they are best planted October 15th to December 1st.

100% DOUBLE EXHIBITION STRAIN

**Giant Tecolote, Claremont and Palaflo Hybrids Mixed.** Jumbo exhibition bulbs only, \$1.35 per doz.; \$10.00 per 100.



# Schling's Fine Peonies

Our Peony roots are strong flowering size, 2 to 3 flowering eyes per root and more. They are not to be confused with small divisions. Satisfaction guaranteed. Delivery dates August to November.

## TWO FINE COLLECTIONS

### OLD FAVORITE COLLECTION

**Baroness Schroeder.** Blush-pink turning to purest white.  
**Felix Crousse.** Deep rosy crimson.  
**Duchesse de Nemours.** Very prolific, large, creamy white; long stems.  
**Edulis Superba.** Early flowering variety. Rich pink.  
**Festiva Maxima.** Very early pure white flecked crimson.  
**Josephine.** Crested type; large carmine-pink. Pure yellow center.  
**PRICE: Each \$1.25, postpaid.**

**SPECIAL COLLECTION OFFER**  
 1 each of the 6 varieties above—a \$7.50 value—postpaid for **\$6.00**

### NEW AND RARE VARIETIES

**Argentine.** Large pure white, heavy substance. Late bloomer. \$2.00 each.  
**Clemenceau.** Deep pink, lovely round flower. Late blooming. \$2.00 each.  
**Philippe Rivoire.** Bright deep crimson, very fine formed flower, delightfully scented. \$2.25 each.  
**Kelway's Glorious.** The largest and best white. \$3.25 each.  
**Mons. Martin Cahuzac.** Darkest black-red. \$2.00 each.  
**The Pearl.** Bright pink with cream crest edged red. \$2.00 each.

**SPECIAL COLLECTION OFFER**  
 1 each of the 6 varieties—a \$13.50 value—for only **\$11.00**

### FINE TREE PEONIES

Pot-grown from 5-inch pots—Two-year-old from grafts.  
**Delivery Spring, 1947.**

**Archiduc Ludivico.** Flesh-pink turning to soft lilac. Large, double. Each \$4.50.  
**La Lorraine.** Large, double, sulphur-yellow with salmon tinge. Each \$8.75.  
**Jules Pirlot.** Satiny pink, flushed carmine. Double. Each \$6.25.  
**Prices includes packing—All orders sent express collect.**



Philippe Rivoire Peony

## FAVORITES FOR THE FOOD GARDEN

### ASPARAGUS, MARY WASHINGTON

**Delivery Date:**

**October 15th-November 1st.**

Rust-resistant. Gain a whole year on your Asparagus bed by planting this fall. Complete cultural circular sent on request.

**Price:**

**\$5.35 per 100, postpaid.**

### BERRY PLANTS

All the finest varieties in the following:

**Raspberries:**  
 Fruiting size regular bearing varieties. \$5.60 per 10; \$49.50 per 100.  
 Fruiting size everbearing varieties. \$6.50 per 10; \$60.00 per 100.  
**Blackberries.** \$5.60 per 10; \$49.50 per 100.  
**Boysenberries.** \$5.60 per 10; \$49.50 per 100.  
**Currants.** Strong fruiting size. \$7.50 per 10; \$70.00 per 100.  
**Gooseberries.** Large fruiting size. \$2.50 each; \$21.00 per 10.  
**Grape Vines.** All fine varieties, large fruiting size. \$1.50 each; \$13.50 per 10.  
**Strawberries.** All fine varieties; strong pot-grown plants. 25 for \$3.50; 50 for \$6.50; \$10.00 per 100.  
**Everbearing Strawberries: Mastodon and Gem.** 24 for \$4.00; 50 for \$7.50; \$12.00 per 100.

**WRITE FOR OUR COMPLETE LISTING OF  
STRAWBERRY VARIETIES**

### TWO WONDERFUL NEW RHUBARB VARIETIES

**Chipman's Canada Red.** The newest and finest Rhubarb. Very sweet and tender; of the finest flavor with extra large stalks. Bright red all the way through, the red color extending even to the mid-rib of the leaf. This variety retains its beautiful color in cooking, and both sauce and pies are an appetizing cherry-red color. This variety definitely does not go to seed during the summer, and therefore, can be used throughout the entire summer. Price: \$1.00 each; 6 for \$5.50, postpaid.

**MacDonald.** Stalks are tender, of unsurpassed flavor, and of a bright crimson. When cooked, the color is a beautiful shade of pink. High yield, strong and robust. MacDonald can be used all summer. Strong roots. 75c each; \$8.75 per doz., postpaid.

In our opinion these two varieties of Rhubarb preclude the necessity of planting any of the older varieties. We are discontinuing the listing of all older varieties in favor of these two which we consider the greatest advance in this line. Rhubarb should be planted four feet apart, and the crowns set so that they are covered 2 inches below the surface.

### Veltheimia

(Cape Lilies)

**Plant September to November**

**Viridifolia.** One of the finest blooming house plants from a bulb. Tall, heavy spikes of brilliant bloom with beautiful foliage. Plant one in a 5-inch pot. 85c each; \$9.50 per doz.

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**Supply very limited—subject to ability to supply.**

### Destroy Japanese Beetles in Your Area For All Time JAP-ATAC

#### MILKY DISEASE SPORE POWDER

U. S. Department of Agriculture Formula.  
 Made Under Government License and Supervision  
 U. S. Department of Agriculture has finally found the specific control of Japanese Beetles, the Milky Spore Disease which remains ever present and active for all time on the ground. In fact, its effectiveness spreads by means of bird droppings, wind, etc.  
 Experiments proved that in less than two years the beetle population of the most highly infested areas has dropped almost 60% and in three years has become almost non-existent. The parasitic disease attacks the larvae in the ground and need only come in contact with the larvae to cause infection.

#### Non-Poisonous, Perfectly Safe to Use

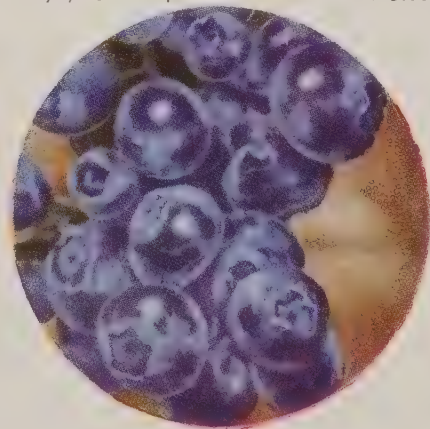
Full instructions for many methods of application appear on each package. It is easiest to apply by mixing proper amounts with fertilizer and distributing it at the same time. The material never spoils. It can be kept for years and, remember, once your ground is inoculated, it remains inoculated forever. For guaranteed beetle protection, use it yourself, induce your neighbors to use it and influence your local civic organization to use it.

Price: \$5.15 per lb., postpaid anywhere in U. S. A. No discount for quantity. One pound sufficient for 4000 square feet.

### BLUEBERRIES

All Fine Cultivated Varieties.

Each  
 2-yr., 12-inch plants ..... \$3.00  
 3-yr., 15-inch plants ..... 5.00







## Perennial Plants

All plants are sent express collect unless transportation remittance accompanies order.

All Perennial Plants, Unless Otherwise Noted: 3 for \$1.55; \$5.00 per doz.; \$35.00 per 100.  
Add 25c for packing up to 50 plants. Add 50c for packing from 50 to 100 plants.

There are so many satisfactory perennials in existence today that in order to list all of them we would be forced to issue a separate catalog. We have, therefore, selected the varieties described more fully as newer introductions of proved merit.

\***ALYSSUM saxatile citrinum**. A new variety. Sulphur-yellow flowers. Dwarf.

**AQUILEGIA longissima**. Large; long-spurred; yellow. Exquisite. \$1.50 for 3; \$5.00 per doz.

**Mrs. Scott Elliott's Hybrids**. Carefully selected strain.

**Blue Shades**. Selection of large-flowered blue sorts.

**Crimson Star**. Rich red, contrasting buff corolla.

**Rose Queen**. Rich bright rose; self color.

**Orange-Scarlet**. A new bright shade.

**ASTER, alpinus, Goliath**. Low growing hardy Aster for rock gardens.

**ASTILBE** (Spirea). Strong, bushy perennials. Good for forcing.

**Fanal**. Red. \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

**Gloria**. Pink. \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

**White Gloria**. White. \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

**CAMPANULA persicifolia, Blue Gardenia**. A vigorous growing perennial Campanula that is completely double, resembling a Gardenia in form. This new addition to the Campanula family is a sensational novelty. \$1.75 for 3; \$6.50 per doz.

**Persicifolia Moerheimii**. Very choice hardy perennials. Large, double white flowers augmenting the beauty of any perennial border. \$1.50 for 3; \$5.00 for 10.

**Persicifolia, Telham Beauty**. Single blooms of exquisite china-blue. Can also be had in white. \$1.50 for 3; \$5.00 for 10.

**CAMPANULA medium** (Canterbury Bells). Rose, Blue and White.

**Calycanthema** (Cup-and-Saucer). Same shades as above.

**Carpatica** (Carpathian Harebell). For rockeries and borders. 8 inches. July, August. Blue and white.

**CARNATION**. New hardy border strain in Red, Pink and White.

\***CHEIRANTHUS Allioni** (Siberian Wallflower). Splendid orange flowers in May and June.

**DELPHINIUM**.

**Pacific Hybrids**. Strong, field-grown plants grown from originator's seed. \$1.00 each; \$11.00 per doz.

**Pacific Hybrids in Separate Varieties**. Strong, field-grown plants in seven different colors including pure white. \$1.50 each; 6 for \$8.00; \$15.00 per doz.

**Belladonna Improved**. Light blue; for cutting. \$6.50 per doz.

**Bellamosa Improved**. Dark blue; for cutting. \$6.50 per doz.

**DIANTHUS barbatus** (Sweet William). All of the finest colors, separate or in mixture.

\***DICENTRA** (Bleeding Heart). Heavy roots, \$1.00 each. \$11.00 per doz.

**DIGITALIS, The Shirley** (Foxglove). Still the favorite strain.

**DORONICUM caucasicum**. Beautiful early spring golden yellow Daisy. Very hardy.

**BEARDED IRIS, Separate Colors or Mixtures for Mass Planting**. We have a splendid list of varieties in all colors or mixed. Specify colors desired. \$5.00 per doz.; \$35.00 per 100.

**GAILLARDIA, Burgundy**. An excellent novelty Gaillardia. Huge flowers of deep red. Excellent for cutting.

**Sherbrook**. Rich golden yellow; yellow center. The finest Gaillardia.

**GEUM, Mrs. Bradshaw**. Large; double; orange-red. Always beautiful.

**Princess Juliana**. A new variety. Beautiful flaming orange. \$2.00 for 3; \$7.00 per doz.

**GYPSOPHILA, Bristol Fairy**. The famous double Baby's Breath. Strong grafted plants. \$2.00 for 3; \$7.00 per doz.

**HEMEROCALLIS** (Day Lilies).

**New Betscher Hybrids**. In separate colors. Heavy clumps, \$1.00 each; \$10.00 per doz.

**Standard Varieties Mixed**. 3 for \$1.55; \$5.00 per doz.

**HOLLYHOCK, Chater's Hybrids**. Single and Double. In all colors or mixed.

\***IBERIS sempervirens**. A vigorous hardy Candytuft with pure white flowers. Blooms in May and June. 8 in.

\***IRIS cristata**. Dwarf Iris. Adapted for naturalizing and rock gardens.

**Pumila cyanea**. Purple.

**Prairie Gem**. Dwarf, butter-yellow.

**The Bride**. Pure white.

**Verna**. Deep violet-blue with golden veins.

**LILY-OF-THE-VALLEY**. Strong clumps, \$6.00 per doz.; \$45.00 per 100.

**LINUM perenne** (Blue Flax). We still recommend plantings of this lovely old favorite.

**LUPINUS polyphyllus**. White, Pink and Blue.

**Famous New Russell Hybrids**. The finest development in Lupinus to date. Splendid strong plants, 75c each; \$6.50 per doz.

**MERTENSIA virginica**. See page 15.

**MYOSOTIS palustris semperflorens**. A beautiful hardy variety of blue Forget-me-not.

\***NEPETA Mussini** (Catnip). Fragrant lavender spikes in bloom all summer.

**PACHYSANDRA terminalis**. The best ground cover for dense shade. Grown mainly for its attractive foliage. 2-yr., field-grown plants, 25 for \$9.00; \$35.00 per 100.

**CLEMATIS FOR FALL PLANTING**. We are definitely convinced that fall-planted Clematis are superior to those planted in the spring. There are so many beautiful hybrids available that it is impossible for us to list them all, but we are offering a collection which is representative of the finest of these most satisfactory flowering vines.

**Crispa**. Bell-like flowers colored a rich claret-purple. A most unusual and beautiful variety. \$1.25 each.

**Duchess of Edinburgh**. Gorgeous 8-petaled white with golden crown. \$1.50 each.

**Jackmani**. Large 4-petaled velvety purple. \$1.50 each.

**Mme. Edouard Andre**. Rich velvety red. \$1.50 each.

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**Perry's White**. Satiny white with maroon blotch at base of petal.

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**Salmon Glow**.

**PHLOX divaricata Laphami**. Beautiful light clear blue. Bloom early May. Splendid with Tulips and late Daffodils.

**PHLOX subulata**. White, Pink, Lavender-Blue and Deep Crimson.

**GARDEN PHLOX**.

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**Leo Schlageter**. Glowing scarlet.

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**Salmon Glow**. Favorite deep salmon-pink.

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Botanical Tulips heretofore have been confined to the popular Clusiana, Kaufmanniana and Eichleri. There are now a whole series of brilliant flame colored Tulips that are earlier than Crocus, starting with Red Emperor and continuing with Princeps and Fusilier.

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In the past many flower lovers were content to grow Paper-White Narcissi and an occasional pot of Lily-of-the-Valley, never daring to attempt some of the lesser known but more alluring bulbous plants.

We offer for your consideration a list of bulbs that can be planted with every assurance of complete success in the home.

### Amaryllis, Sequoia Hybrids

Calla Lilies, White

Calla Lilies, Yellow

Freesias For bright rooms and temperature not over 60 degrees.

French White Roman

Hyacinths

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The above list can be regarded as almost fool proof, but we, of course, suggest that any of the other items appearing in our Indoor Bulb Section should be attempted, for with a modicum of care and understanding very satisfactory results can be obtained.

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This outstandingly beautiful collection of Daffodils and Narcissus, illustrated on our back cover, is worthy of consideration by all garden lovers. The connoisseur will delight in being able to purchase these selected and outstanding varieties at a nominal price, whereas the gardener who appreciates beauty for beauty's sake is enabled to obtain these "out of reach" varieties at practically the cost of ordinary varieties.

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We are offering again, for fall planting, our sensational Majestic Splendor strain in strong, well developed plants. These plants, from seeds sown this summer, have been especially grown and hardened. They may be set out in beds this fall, and thus have the advantage of spring-planted Pansy plants in that they are well developed with a strong root system by next spring and receive no check from transplanting at the time that they are intended to bloom.

We are certain that the satisfaction derived from a trial planting of these splendid plants will convert all Pansy enthusiasts to fall planting of these cheerful garden requisites.

We recommend that in the region of New York and farther north, protection be given them by either hilling the soil up to within an inch of the top of the plant, or else providing a protective mulch, such as salt hay or leaves.

**Collection No. 1.** 25 plants each in the following colors: Deep golden yellow, pure white, solid blue, and wine shades.

**Collection No. 2.** 25 plants each in the following colors: Yellow, cornflower-blue, white and deep blue.

**Collection No. 3.** 25 plants each in the following colors: Yellow, blue, wine shade and giant bronze.

### Prices on Pansies:

All Collections of 100 plants, \$7.25, postpaid

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### Schling's Maxima Special Lawn Mixture

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| 30%  | Red Chewings Fescue | Germination 90% |
| 30%  | Fancy Red Top       | Germination 92% |
| 20%  | Kentucky Blue Grass | Germination 80% |
| 10%  | Colonial Bent Grass | Germination 90% |
| 10%  | Domestic Rye Grass  | Germination 90% |
| 0.20%  | Weed Seeds          |                 |
| 0.15%  | Crop Seed           |                 |
| 4.15%  | Inert Matter        |                 |
| Price: \$1.10 per lb.; 2 lbs., \$2.10; 5 lbs., \$5.00; 10 lbs., \$9.50; 25 lbs., \$22.50; 100 lbs., \$87.50. |                     |                 |

### Schling's Maxima Shady Nook Mixture

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| 50%  | Roughstalk Meadow Grass | Germination 90% |
| 30%  | Red Chewings Fescue     | Germination 90% |
| 20%  | Fancy Red Top           | Germination 92% |
| 0.20%  | Weed Seed               |                 |
| 0.15%  | Crop Seed               |                 |
| 3.65%  | Inert Matter            |                 |
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**Wild White Clover** A comparatively recent introduction of this strain of Clover. It is very vigorous and of a thick, dwarf growth. An important feature is its lack of flowers which is a great advantage in maintaining a green lawn. Wild White Clover is more vigorous than any weed, and because of its all around excellence we recommend its use in the finest lawns, whereas in the past we have never recommended the use of ordinary Dutch White Cover except for specific purposes. One pound is sufficient for 800 square feet. Price: 1 lb., \$3.00; 5 lbs., \$14.00.

